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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Applicant

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THIS IS A DIVISIONAL APPLICATION OF:

Serial No.	09/789,649
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For	ISOLATED NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES WHICH ENCODE PEPTIDES THAT BIND TO HLA MOLECULES AND THE USES THEREOF

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: